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DISCRETE COMPONENTS IN A HIGH-
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In response to the Office Action mailed 26 March 2002, please amend
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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraphs at page 5, line 15 – page 6, line 5; and
page 6, lines 6-17, with the following replacement paragraphs:

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